

LIE PASSED IN HOUSE

GAINES OF TENNESSEE AND MAHON OF PENNSYLVANIA IN A WAR OF WORDS.

AVERT PERSONAL ENCOUNTER

FRIENDS OF BELLIGERENTS PREVENT THEM FROM ENGAGING IN A FIST FIGHT.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The house not only was the scene of a threatened personal encounter between Representative Mahon (Tenn.) and Representative Mahon (Pa.), growing out of Mr. Mahon's bill to "dock" members for chronic absence, but it also passed the army appropriation bill and began the consideration of the fortifications bill.

Several amendments were made to the army bill. The fortifications bill was taken up but no progress was made, the time of the house being consumed by the statements of Representative Smith (La.), in charge of the budget, Mr. Fitzgerald (N. Y.), who represents the minority in the appropriations committee, and Mr. Mahon (Tenn.) in a speech on his "docking" bill.

The house late in the day took on the appearance of the closing days of the Fifty-fifth congress, commonly known as the "War Congress," when altercations between members were frequent.

Late in the afternoon Mr. Mahon of Tennessee and Mr. Mahon of Pennsylvania were only prevented from meeting in a personal encounter by the intervention of members. Mr. Mahon was making a speech on his bill to "dock" members' pay for absence from the house and was being twitted by both sides of the chamber, to his evident embarrassment, when he charged Mr. Mahon with being absent from the house 95 per cent of the time.

Previous to this sweeping assertion, Mr. Mahon had read excerpts from the record in relation to the withholding of pay in the Fifty-third congress and the part Mr. Mahon had played at that time.

Declares Charges Are False.

Mr. Mahon remained silent throughout Mr. Mahon's speech, with the exception of interjecting a remark or two at the beginning. When Mr. Mahon concluded Mr. Mahon rose. He explained how in the Fifty-third and Fifty-fifth congresses he had \$7,000 due him and that the then speaker, Crisp, had given him an order on the sergeant-at-arms for the amount, which was paid. Then coming to the crux of Mr. Mahon's charge, Mr. Mahon thundered:

"Any man who charges me with being away from this house 95 per cent of the time, tells an untruth."

Mr. Mahon started down the aisle from his seat.

"No man can tell me I lie," exclaimed Mr. Mahon.

Then Mr. Mann of Illinois, who was in the chair, took a hand in the altercation.

Both men were ordered to their seats. Mr. Mahon obeying the command, while Mr. Mahon stood two seats away from the center of the chamber, shaking his fist and head at the Pennsylvania.

When order had been restored Mr. Mahon again rose. Having been cautioned by the chair that it was against the rules to address a member in the second person, he measured his words, saying he could speak in the "fourth person." He then said:

"The charge of the gentleman from Tennessee that I am away from this house 95 per cent of my time is a deliberate falsehood."

With a rush, Mr. Mahon reached the center of the chamber, making directly toward the gentleman from Pennsylvania, insisting as he went that no man could call him a liar without personal chastisement.

House in an Uproar.

The house was in an uproar by this time, the chair adding to the noise, if not to the confusion, by pounding the desk with his gavel. His efforts finally caused the head of the gavel to fly off and it bounded into the body of the house, almost striking one of the members.

The rush of Mr. Mahon upon his adversary brought a dozen members before the speaker's desk. Messrs. Gille James of Kentucky, Taylor of Alabama, Bell of Georgia, Williams of Mississippi, the minority leader, and Stafford of Wisconsin grabbed Mahon, who, resisting vigorously, was borne back to his seat.

Mr. Mahon, standing in the first aisle on the Republican side, seemed to wait for the impart, which never came. With Mr. Mahon back in his seat, the Pennsylvania made his speech of explanation as to how he became connected with the invoking

of an old statute compelling members to forfeit pay for the time absent from the house. He said that the charge that he was away from the house 95 per cent of the time was a lie on its face and that he was there 95 per cent of the time, as every member who cared to inquire could ascertain.

Friends of Messrs. Mahon and Mahon engaged in an effort to bring about a reconciliation, in which they were successful. Mr. Mahon rose to a question of personal privilege. He stated that he did not desire to impugn the motives which prompted Mr. Mahon to utter what was an untruth about his absence from the house, but he desired to say that his informant was incorrect.

He had no desire to offend the gentleman from Tennessee, whom he classed among his friends, but he wanted Mr. Mahon to understand that the person from whom he obtained his information misrepresented the facts.

Not to be outdone in chivalry, Mr. Mahon immediately arose and showing deep feeling, said that the gentleman from Pennsylvania had always been his friend but that he had been goaded beyond endurance, not only today but on a former occasion. He regretted extremely the turn affairs had taken.

"Are you satisfied with that?" he asked, pointing to Mr. Mahon.

For answer Mr. Mahon rushed across the chamber. The two men clasped hands amid loud applause.

The house at 4:45 adjourned.

LIMITS HOURS OF EMPLOYMENT.

La Follette's Railway Measure Passed by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 11.—After more than five hours spent in a lively consideration of the subject of limiting the hours of service of railway employees, the senate passed a substitute for the pending bill and amendments on that subject of which Senator La Follette was the author, as he was of the original bill. The substitute limits the time of train employees to sixteen consecutive hours of service to be followed by ten hours of rest. There was but one negative vote to this action, that of Senator Pettus of Alabama.

Senator Tillman gave notice he would address the senate Saturday on the Brownsville affair and Senator Foraker announced he would endeavor to get a vote on the investigation resolution on that day.

SMITH TO SUCCEED ALGER.

Michigan Congressman Will Become a Senator.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 11.—Congressman William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids has been nominated to succeed United States Senator R. A. Alger. As there are only a half dozen Democrats in the legislature the nomination by the Republican caucus is equivalent to an election.

When the caucus adjourned Wednesday night after the fifth ballot, Congressman Smith was the leading candidate, having 43 votes, but 64 were necessary for a choice. Before the first ballot was concluded in the final meeting it was evident that the Grand Rapids congressman had won. Mr. Smith received 98 votes; Congressman Townsend had 26, a loss of one since Wednesday night; Arthur Hill of Saginaw, whom Governor Warner had charged with using improper campaign methods, had 1 vote; Charles Smith of Hubbard had 2 and William C. McMillan of Detroit, son of the late Senator James McMillan, who had 24 votes Wednesday night, withdrew. Congressman Smith's nomination was made unanimous amid great cheering.

IN TOBACCO TRUST TRIAL.

Jury Returns Verdict of Guilty Against Two Concerns.

New York, Jan. 11.—A jury in the United States circuit court has returned a verdict in the so-called "tobacco trust" trial, which had been on hearing before Judge Hough for the past three weeks. The jury acquitted Karl Jungbluth and Howard Young on all the counts charging conspiracy in restraint of trade and combining to control the licorice paste industry, but finds the MacAndrews and Forbes company and the J. S. Young company guilty on two counts, one of forming an illegal combination and the other of being a monopoly. The corporations named, which were joint defendants with Jungbluth and Young, were acquitted of the charge of conspiracy.

Counsel for the defendant companies at once moved for an arrest of judgment and Judge Hough will hear arguments on the motion next Monday.

A fine of not more than \$5,000 or less than \$1,000 can be imposed for each violation of which the corporations have been found guilty.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Idaho Professor Kills a School Teacher and Himself.

Rigby, Ida., Jan. 11.—Miss Irene Miller, a teacher in the public schools at Lewisville, near here, was shot and killed by Professor I. F. Couch, principal of the schools, who then committed suicide. The underlying cause of the tragedy was a broken marriage engagement.

INVESTIGATION ENDED

INQUIRY INTO HARRIMAN SYSTEM OF ROADS AT CHICAGO CONCLUDED.

WILL NOT SEEK TO ESCAPE

STANDARD OIL OFFICIALS WILL BE CALLED TO TESTIFY IN NEW YORK CITY.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—The investigation by the interstate commerce commission into the traffic alliance and other business deals of the railroads controlled by E. H. Harriman has been completed as far as Chicago is concerned and the commission has adjourned to meet in Seattle, Jan. 21, when the case will be resumed. James H. Hilland, third vice president of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, Julius Kruttschnitt, director in charge of maintenance and operation, E. A. McCormick, assistant traffic director of the Harriman lines, and J. A. Munroe, freight traffic manager of the Union Pacific, testified.

Testimony showing that the consolidation of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific had eliminated competition to a certain extent was given by Mr. Hilland, and Mr. Kruttschnitt admitted that purchases of rolling stock for both systems was practically under his sole control. Mr. McCormick was questioned regarding the advertising department of the system, but declared that each road had its own bureau of publicity.

After the commission adjourned it was said that after the commissioners had concluded their investigation in the West, the hearing would be resumed in New York. At that time Mr. Harriman, William Rockefeller and Standard Oil officials and others, including H. H. Rogers and H. C. Frick and James Stillman, would be called before the commission.

No Credence Given Reports.

No credence is given by the commission or the special representatives of the government to the rumors current that James Stillman had gone to Europe to avoid testifying.

"There is no truth in the report that we have been asked to serve subpoenas immediately upon Mr. Harriman, Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Frick and others so that they cannot go abroad and escape giving evidence before the commission," said Frank B. Kellogg, special counsel for the government. "We understand that Mr. Stillman has taken the trip for his health and will be back in New York when we resume the hearing. He was summoned for the first hearing, but we did not call him to the stand."

"I do not credit the report that prominent New York financiers will try to avoid testifying before the commission," said Chairman Knapp. "I know that Mr. Harriman will not try to dodge," said Mr. Lovett, general counsel for the Union Pacific.

It is known that the commission proposes to investigate the reorganization of the Chicago and Alton by E. H. Harriman and his associates. Likewise the arrangement by which that road is jointly controlled by the Rock Island and Harriman systems, and the juggling of the Alton securities. B. F. Yoakum and Daniel G. Reid will be among the Rock Island representatives who will be summoned to testify about the sale of certain bonds of the Alton to Mr. Harriman at a much lower price than he obtained for them within a short period.

President Winchell of the Rock Island and President Felton of the Alton are also slated to appear.

ANOTHER TERRORIST VICTIM.

Chief of Gendarmes at Lodz, Russian Poland, Shot on the Street.

Lodz, Russian Poland, Jan. 11.—Colonel Patko Andrieff, chief of the gendarmes of the Lodz district, was shot and killed during the morning on Poludniowa street. A passing infantry patrol fired a volley at the assassin, but only wounded several innocent persons. The assassin escaped. Poludniowa street was closed by troops and the police began making a strict search of all the houses fronting upon it.

KILLED HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Insane Milwaukee Man Said She Talked Too Much.

Wilwaukee, Jan. 11.—George C. Wapp, supposed to be insane, killed Mrs. Frederick Freund, his mother-in-law, by cutting off her head with a razor. The body was not found until Wapp volunteered to look for the missing woman with one of her sons. He confessed the crime to the police, saying his mother-in-law talked too much. He was recently released from an insane asylum.

DENOUNCED AS MURDERERS.

Iowa Judge Scores Men Who Lynched James Cullen.

Charles City, Ia., Jan. 11.—Denouncing as murderers the men who stormed the Charles City jail and hung James Cullen, slayer of his wife and stepson, from the Cedar river bridge, Judge C. H. Kelly instructed the grand jury to conduct a rigid investigation with a view to placing the blame. He said that James Cullen was legally entitled to full protection of the law from the mob. He continued:

"The crime of which James Cullen was accused and which was doubtless committed by him, pales into insignificance when compared with the deliberate act of an organized mob. You now have nothing to do with the guilt or innocence of James Cullen. His case is in the hands of God. But he was murdered, gentlemen, and every person who actively participated in the act or who aided and abetted it, is equally guilty of murder and upon you rests the duty of taking the first steps towards bringing his murderers to justice. I enjoin upon you the performance of this duty, without fear or favor in accordance with your oaths."

The judge has already heard several witnesses, Ensign Roper of the Salvation Army, who asked Cullen if he would pray, was the first.

Judge Kelly presided at the first trial of Louis Busse, whose death sentence was recently modified to one of life imprisonment. The escape of Busse, who lived in an adjoining county, is said to be responsible for the action of the Charles City mob.

TRIAL OF JUDGE HARGIS.

Postponed on a Writ Granted by Kentucky Court of Appeals.

Jackson, Ky., Jan. 11.—The trial of Judge James Hargis on the charge of participating in the assassination of Dr. B. L. Cox in this city three years ago was suddenly postponed here as the result of a writ of prohibition issued by the court of appeals of Kentucky. This writ was granted upon the application of Attorney General N. B. Hays and James B. Adams, commonwealth attorney for the Second judicial district. The petitioners allege that Special Judge William Carnes of Williamstown, who was appointed by Governor Beckham to try the case of Judge Hargis and others charged with the assassination of Dr. Cox, is conducting the trial in an arbitrary manner and is overstepping the bounds of the law.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 11.—Orders have been issued by Captain Woodyard for members of Company C of the Kentucky state guards to assemble at the armory. Adjutant General Lawrence will inspect the company and the troops will be held in readiness to go to Jackson if ordered by Governor Beckham.

TO SUE A RAILROAD COMPANY.

Governor of Illinois Asks Legislature for an Appropriation.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 11.—Governor Charles S. Deneen has sent to the legislature a message asking that body to appropriate \$150,000 for the prosecution of a suit to be instituted immediately against the Illinois Central railroad for the collection of a large sum of money, which the state alleges is due it from that corporation. The exact sum is not stated in the message. Governor Deneen saying that the examination had not progressed far enough to determine this, but it is asserted that the amount will approximate several million dollars.

In enumerating the methods by which the governor alleges the Illinois Central has withheld from the state its just share of the gross receipts of the road, the governor says that for years the practice has prevailed of allowing rebates and drawbacks to shippers against the receipts and income of the charter lines; that the railroad owns stocks, bonds and other interest-bearing investments, upon which it received \$3,262,640 in interest in 1905, and which has not been placed subject to the annual tax.

Jap Suspects Released.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 11.—The two Japanese arrested on suspicion that they might know something of the mystery of the death of Dr. Phillip Edward Johnson, who was thrown or jumped from the Ford street viaduct Monday night, have been released. They are deserters from a Japanese liner now in this port.

Man Frightened to Death.

Philadelphia, Jan. 11.—Albert Lindsay was frightened to death and two other men were severely burned by an explosion of molten metal in the finishing plant at Baldwin's locomotive works.

Roosevelt on Simplified Spelling Board.

New York, Jan. 11.—The fact that President Roosevelt has accepted membership in the Simplified board, whose list of simplified spelling he adopted last summer, has been announced. The board also called attention to the fact that the president continues the use of the simplified spelling forms as an earnest of his advocacy of the principles of the reform.

Absolutely Free to our Embroidery Class Members.

We wish to re-organize our Saturday morning embroidery classes, and, as stated to the classes on Saturday last, will make the following offer: To the members of the class who will attend five out of the next six Saturday morning classes we will give one of our American Beauty embroidery books absolutely free. This is a late issue of this book which gives instructions in Silk, Hedebo, Hardanger, Shadow, Scrim, and, in fact, all kinds of embroidery. It also gives a complete list of the flowers usually embroidered and the colors of silk to use in the shadings as well as the late stitches.

Be sure you start tomorrow so that you will not lose the book should you find it impossible to come at one later meeting.

H. F. Michael Co.

MANY STILL MISSING

DEATH LIST FROM EXPLOSION AT PITTSBURG MAY AMOUNT TO OVER THIRTY.

TWELVE BODIES RECOVERED

LITTLE PROSPECT THAT THE REMAINS OF THE MISSING MEN WILL BE FOUND.

MINNESOTA'S SEMI-CENTENNIAL.

Commission Would Expend Million Dollars to Commemorate Event.

Minneapolis, Jan. 11.—Expenditure of \$1,000,000 or \$1,500,000 in enlargement and permanent improvement of the state fair grounds for the exposition to be held next year in commemoration of Minnesota's semi-centennial is proposed and vigorously advocated in the annual address of C. N. Cosgrove, president of the Minnesota State Agricultural society.

Mr. Cosgrove delivered his address before the society at the closing meeting of the annual convention in this city and his plan was received with general enthusiasm and was ably supported by other members of the society.

Three of the five commissioners appointed two years ago to formulate plans for a semi-centennial celebration spoke at this meeting, and all approved the principal features of Mr. Cosgrove's suggestion. This commission was appointed by Governor Johnson on authority furnished by the state legislature of 1905, and its report will be submitted to the legislature at its present session. The members who were present at the meeting are J. T. Mannix, Minneapolis, chairman of the commission; F. B. Lynch of St. Paul and Dr. C. H. Kohler of Minneapolis.

Lake Carriers' Convention.

Detroit, Jan. 11.—The features of the opening day of the Lake Carriers' annual convention were the reading of President William Livingstone's annual report, the re-election of all the officers and a banquet at the Hotel Cadillac.

ARCHBISHOP MONTGOMERY DIES.

Operation for Appendicitis Results in Prelate's Death.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Archbishop Montgomery is dead. He was operated on for appendicitis a few days ago. He rallied after the operation and was believed to be recovering when a relapse occurred and he remained in a state of coma most of the time until his death.

W. L. Jones, vice president of the

Jones & Laughlin Steel company, issued the following statement:

"We have been unable to determine what caused the explosion. A rigid investigation has been instituted, but it will be two or three days before we will be able to know the cause, if we are able then. The entire unfortunate affair is a very great mystery to all the officials of the company."

In reply to questions Mr. Jones said that the accident could not have been caused by carelessness or design upon the part of any one. He said it would be at least three weeks before the furnace could be repaired and that the damage would amount to over \$50,000.

Coroner Armstrong announced that he would conduct a rigid investigation into the accident and if he found that carelessness was responsible prosecutions would immediately follow.

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One Month Forty Cents
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 1907.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Snow Bird flour, the best, at Cale's, 175tf

Miss Elinor Saunders went to Motley today.

H. Moore is laid up with the gripe today.

W. E. Rutter, of Hibbing, was in the city yesterday.

Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf

W. P. Locke came down from Longville today on business.

C. M. Boss returned from a business trip to Deerwood today.

Mrs. F. J. Murphy returned today from a visit to the cities.

Girl wanted to learn to set type, Arena Office. 185tf

Mrs. M. J. Reilly returned last night from a visit to the twin cities.

Dr. J. A. Thabes went to Pequot Thursday on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Hess, of Chicago, were in the city Thursday noon.

The best Flour, Snow Bird, at Cale's, 175tf

Will McCarthy left for Minneapolis today after a visit with relatives here.

Dr. J. P. Aylen, of Sheldon, is in the city attending the nurses, graduating exercises.

Mrs. Clem Thompson returned to Motley today after a visit here of several days.

Sawed wood for sale at Hayes' livery, pine, oak and tamarack. 166tf

E. E. Bernard returned to Smiley, Minn., Thursday, after a business visit to Brainerd.

Mrs. Just and Elinor Just returned to the cities today after a week's visit with friends here.

A pastry cook and a laundry girl wanted at once at the National. 184tf

B. M. Hungerford, the hustling Aitkin real estate man was in Brainerd on business Thursday.

H. J. Hage, the popular Deerwood banker and merchant, was in the city today on business.

Call 226 for the best sausages in the city, Bane's sausage factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKay were in the city yesterday on their way home from Walker to Aitkin.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Quinn, of St. Paul, arrived last night to visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Courtney.

Victor talking machine for sale—new \$50 machine with 15 records will sell for \$20. 185tf

Mrs. Frank Green and daughter Grace, were in the city from Sylvan for a few days, returning today.

Clem Thompson and sons and F. O. Muzzy, who have been here for some weeks left today for St. Paul.

The best sausages in Brainerd at Bane's sausage factory.

Typewriter—New Smith-Premier typewriter, writes in three colors, cost \$105, will sell for \$70. R. S. Holden. 185tf

Mrs. F. J. Slipp went to Smiley Thursday afternoon, called there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murray.

Senator S. F. Alderman came up last night for a little rest from his legislative duties and to look after business.

Miss Mary Storm, of East Brainerd, went to Duluth yesterday afternoon to take the little daughter of J. P. Anderson, who goes to visit her grand mother.

The crowds at the Towers trial bid fair to test the capacity of the court room as there is much interest manifested in the case.

Mrs. Redding and Miss Geraldine Redding, who have been visiting relatives here left today for their home in Minneapolis.

Supt. W. H. Strachan, of the Minnesota & International, returned today from a business trip up the road in his private car, No. 50.

H. M. Wheeler, of Grand Forks, N. D., is in the city to deliver the address to the graduates of the nurses' training school this evening.

A civil service examination will be held Saturday forenoon for those who desire to try for the position of sub-clerk and carrier at the postoffice.

The Pilgrims of the Orient will be in their glory Saturday evening, and a large class will be initiated into the mysteries of the order at EIR's hall.

The only case to be tried after the Towers case in this term of the district court is said to be that of Albert Holmblad, charged with assault in the second degree.

There are still over fifty men at work in the Northern Pacific yards here trying to clear away the results of the recent heavy snows. It seems slow work getting the yards cleaned up.

Peter Dewar, of Staples, is in the Northern Pacific Sanitarium, having undergone a serious operation. Mrs. Dewar and little son, who have been in the city, returned to their home today. Bane's little pig sausages per pound 15c at Bane's sausage factory.

Magnolia and Mississippi courts, U. O. F., will hold a public installation at Columbian hall this evening followed by a dance. It is expected that the high ranger will be present. Banquet will be served for 25 cents extra.

The Fargo Forum says that while inspecting the local roundhouse last evening H. M. Curry, superintendent of motive power on the Northern Pacific, accidentally fell into one of the engine pits. While no bones were broken he sustained a serious and painful injury to his knee and is confined to his bed at the Waldorf.

Remington typewriter—remodeled—for \$60, cash or payments. R. S. Holden. 185tf

James F. Dykeman left Thursday to take up the work of state organizer for the Modern Brotherhood of America. His store will be under the management of his brother T. G. Dykeman, who has been with him for several months. I. E. Leighton, state superintendent, accompanied Mr. Dykeman to Bemidji, where he will take up the work.

People of good, common sense, everywhere, have Dr. Adler's Treatment in their home will do it. Johnson's Pharmacy.

The crew which has put in the machinery of the tie preserving plant here for the Northern Pacific railroad company, expects to leave the first of the week for Bloomington, Ind., to assist in the construction of a plant there. John Hageline, of this city, who has been working with them here expects to go with them and remain with the company permanently.

That's the house the Doctor built, The biggest house you see;

Thank goodness he don't get our money, For we take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.

H. P. Dunn & Co.

Some people call coughing barking. I see no reason why they should do either one or the other and they never would if they would only get a bottle of Skaugs's never cough, a medicine which never fails to break up the worst cold going. No cure, no pay. Skaugs's the Laurel street druggist guarantees it. 187tf

Possesses wonderful medicinal power over the human body, removing all disorders from your system, is what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Makes you well, keeps you well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

NOKAY NOTE ETTS.

Miss May Laurel spent Sunday with Mrs. Dickenson.

Ernest Dickenson arrived from Duluth on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickinson.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. Bloomstrom, who is very sick with pneumonia and very little hopes of recovery are entertained.

We understand there is to be revival meetings at our school house the coming week, commencing Wednesday night. Let us all come out and enjoy them.

Although the weather is extremely cold and the roads bad after the snow storms we get our mail just the same every day, thanks to the carrier of route two.

Mr. Wickham has returned for a visit with his family. He has been at Tamarack logging and getting out wood on contracts and reports a very good winter so far.

Roy Dickinson has returned from Superior where he went on a visit. His wife will remain with her parents for some weeks. Roy will visit with his parents at Nokay in the meanwhile.

The Yeoman are still alive as a class of 18 new members are to join on Saturday evening, and an oyster supper is the result of a liberal organizer and it will be enjoyed by all. Hurrah for the Yeoman.

THE TATTLER.

Pretty Names For Books.

The following are some of the curious titles of old English books:

"A Most Delectable Sweet Perfumed Nougat For God's Saints to Smell At." "Biscuit Baked In the Oven of Charity, Carefully Conserved For the Chickens of the Church, the Sparrows of the Spirit and the Sweet Swallows of Salvation."

"A Sigh of Sorrow For the Sinners of Zion Breathed Out of a Hole In the Wall of an Earthly Vessel Known Among Men by the Name of Samuel Fish" (a Quaker who had been imprisoned).

"Eggs of Charity Layed For the Chickens of the Covenant and Boiled With the Water of Divine Love. Take Ye Out and Eat."

"The Spiritual Mustard May Make the Soul Sneeze With Devotion." Most of these were published in the time of Cromwell.

FIVE NURSES GRADUATE TONIGHT

Nurses Training School Will Hold Commencement Exercises Tonight Have Special Train.

There will be a special train to take the invited guests from the city over to the graduating exercises of the Training School for Nurses at the Northern Pacific Sanitarium this evening. The train will leave the depot promptly at 8 o'clock and will leave there at 11 o'clock on the return trip. There will be a class of five nurses graduate, the address being delivered by Dr. H. M. Wheeler, of Grand Forks. Secretary W. A. Laidlaw of Northern Pacific Beneficial Association will present the diplomas.

An Insidious Danger.

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwd

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining uncollected for, at the Brainerd, Minn., postoffice for the week ending Friday, Jan. 4, 1907:

When called for say "Advertised."
Ackerson Joe Nelson Nels
Benden Mrs Clyde R Norton George
Boulard Mr Barber Bochi Fred
Dunley Miss Clara Rountz Mr and Mrs A C
LaDue Chas Steve Henry
Lesham Mrs Mary Sundson Miss Tena
Longtin Joe Sumner Mr and Mrs O
McFarlane Stephen

(Week ending Friday, Jan. 11, 1907)
Anderson Miss Sina Rowless R
Arnett Jas R Shrague Lester
Crowley J C Stroberg Miss Flora (2)
Jasorka Miss Minnie Swenson A M (2)
Johnson Miss Lottie Weston J H
Larson Miss Clara

N. H. INGERSOLL
Postmaster.

He Didn't Hush.

"Mamma," queried little Willie "what is 'hush'?"
"Why do you ask, dear?" said his mother.
"Because," explained the observing urchin, "when I asked sister what made her hair all mussed after her beau was here this afternoon she said, 'Hush, dear.'"—Chicago News.

The Caller.

"Mary, has any one called while I was out?"
"Yes, ma'am; Mr. Biggs was here."
"Mr. Biggs? I don't recall the name."
"No, ma'am; he called to see me, ma'am."—Strand Magazine.

Corrected.

Teacher—What are parallel lines?
Micky Mulberry, what are you grinning at? Micky Mulberry—Sense me, Miss Sharpe, but any lolly might make de same mistake. Yer means parallel bars, don't yer?—Puck.

NATURE'S CATARRH CURE

Sensible and Scientific Way to Cure this Disagreeable Disease.

Nearly everyone suffers at one time or another with catarrh.

The natural way to cure this disagreeable disease is by applying healing medications direct to the diseased spot.

In no other way can this be done as naturally as by the use of Hyomei, breathed through the neat pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit.

Put several drops of Hyomei in the inhaler and then for a few minutes, four or five times a day, let the air you breathe come through it. In that way all the air that enters the nasal passages the throat or the lungs, is filled with Hyomei's healing medication, reaching the most remote air cells of the respiratory organ, destroying all catarrh germs and soothing and healing the irritated mucous membrane.

A few days' use of Hyomei will show how quickly it relieves all catarrhal conditions, and you will not have to use it long before you find it has effected a complete and lasting cure.

So strong is H. P. Dunn & Co.'s faith in the power of Hyomei to cure catarrhal troubles that with every dollar outfit they give a guarantee to refund the money unless the remedy gives satisfaction. They take all the responsibility and you cannot afford to suffer longer with catarrh when an offer like this is made to you.

Should extra bottles of Hyomei be needed they can be obtained for 50 cents making this one of the most economical as well as the most reliable remedies for catarrh that is known.

We have a large stock of dress goods, which we must get out of the way for new spring goods now coming in daily, and so offer same at about one-half of their real value. Call and see us, it will pay you.
B. KAATZ & SON.
East Brainerd.

Larvæ Nests.

By breaking open rotten logs one can find in midwinter the grubs or larvæ of many of the wood boring beetles, and beneath logs and stones near the margins of ponds and brooks hordes of the maggots or larvæ of certain kinds of flies may often be found huddled together in great masses. The larvæ of a few butterflies also live over winter beneath chips or bunches of leaves near the roots of their food plant or in webs of their own construction, which are woven on the stems close to the buds whose expanding leaves will furnish them their first meal in spring.

The Great Clearance Sale.

Perhaps, not in the history of the city of Brainerd, have the people been treated with such a tremendous cut in prices on seasonable goods as the L. J. CALE Department Store has just made.

Tomorrow, January 11th and continuing for the next 15 days, this great and popular store has put on sale the bulk of their immense winter goods, at such low prices that the people who have not yet bought, will make a dollar go farther than two dollars would have gone before the holidays. If the people go naked and hungry it certainly will not be the fault of the Cale Department Store.

A large handbill has been placed in every home in the city today—read it carefully and see how much you can save by buying of them at this sale.



People Who Know--

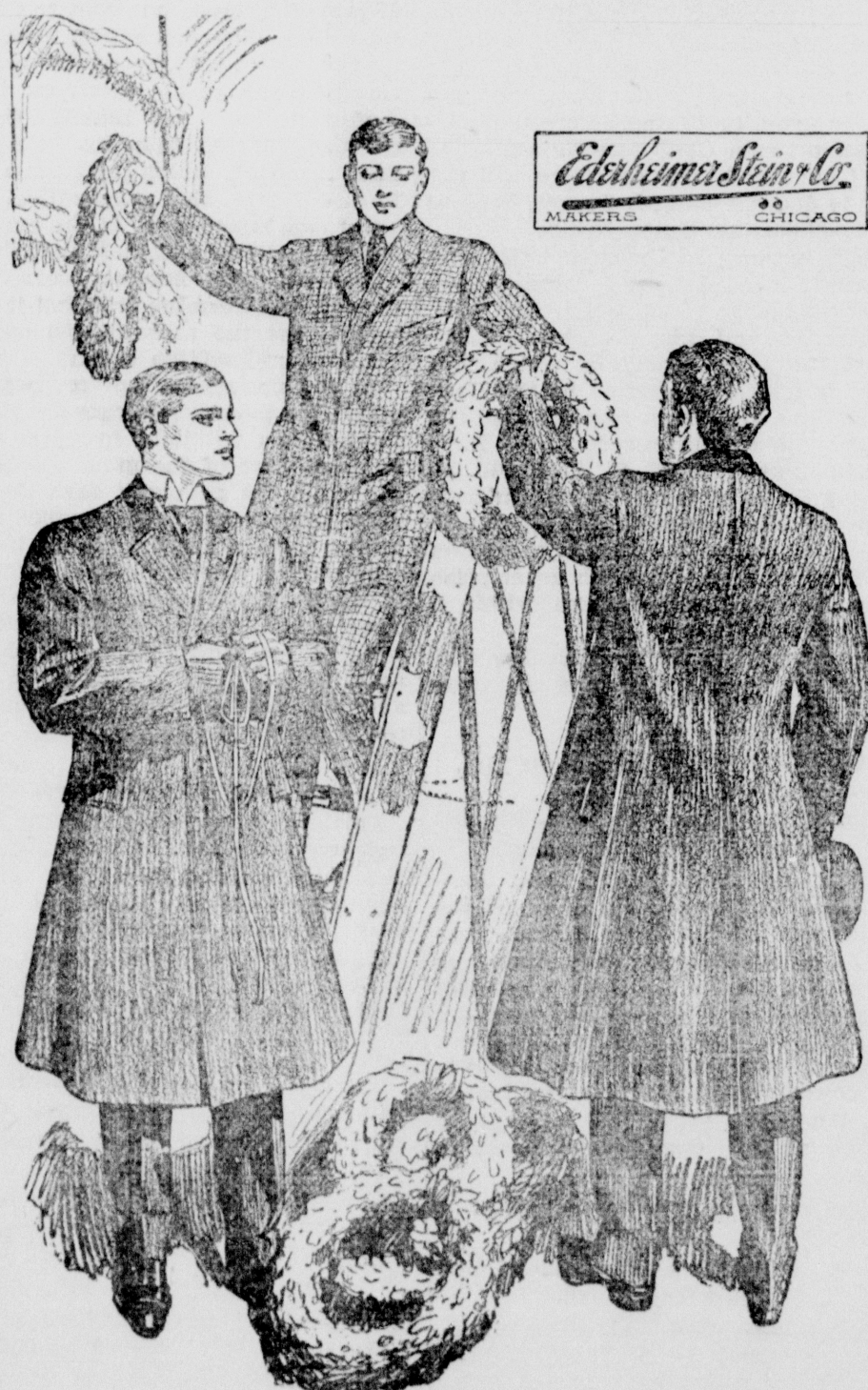
and the number is growing—good table wines, champagnes, etc., always buy of the Coates Liquor Co.'s, because they have tasted and tested our stock of these delightful adjuncts to a well prepared meal. We rather like connoisseurs to sample our wines, liquors and cordials, because their good opinion is a capital advertisement for us.

JOHN COATES LIQUOR CO.,
Imperial Block, - Brainerd, Minn.

Wanted, For Sale **THE DISPATCH** bring the desired result.
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JOHN CARLSON'S Clearance Sale

I must have money to meet my obligations, and to make room for Spring Goods. Every Man's Boys' and Child's SUIT and OVERCOAT will be sold at COST.



Men's \$5.00 and \$6.00 suits	\$3.85
Men's \$10.00 suits	\$7.50
Men's \$12.00 suits	\$8.25
Men's \$15.00 suits	\$11.00
Men's \$18.00 suits	\$13.50
Men's \$20.00 suits	\$16.00
Men's fur collar blended muskrat, \$6.00 and \$6.50, now	\$5.00

Boy's and Children's—none reserved—
all suits sold at actual cost.

men's fur and fur-lined coats at cost.

Ladies' felt shoes and slippers, all must go, don't want to carry any winter goods over.

JOHN CARLSON,

624 Front Street
Brainerd, Minn.

TAX LEVY IS LIGHTER

The Tax Levy this Year is Much Lighter than Last—Comparative Figures

A REDUCTION ALL AROUND

County and State Taxes as well As Local Levies Show Good Reduction

The agitation started by the Commercial club two years ago in the direction of economies in public expenditures and reduced levies in taxes is bearing fruit as is shown by comparative tables of the levies for 1905 and 1906. The levy for Brainerd for 1904 was 47 mills on the dollar of valuation. Last year it was reduced to 36.75 mills and this year it is cut to 31.50 mills. The following is a summary of the levies on the entire county for the years 1905 and 1906, for state and county purposes:

YEAR 1905		Rate	Amt. Levied
State.....	1.81		\$ 10,113 72
County Revenue.....	2.92		16,406 72
Poor.....	.50		2,809 36
Road and Bridge.....	1.00		5,618 72
Bond Interest.....	2.30		12,923 09
State School.....	1.23		6,911 05
Local 1 Mill.....	1.00		5,618 73
Totals.....	10.75		\$ 60,401 37
YEAR 1906		Rate	Amt. Levied
State.....	1.55		9,004 47
County Revenue.....	1.73		10,050 16
Poor.....	.50		2,904 67
Road and Bridge.....	1.00		5,809 34
Bond Interest.....	1.74		10,108 24
State School.....	1.23		7,145 48
Local 1 Mill.....	1.00		5,809 34
Totals.....	8.75		\$ 50,831 70

The levy for the city of Brainerd for the two years for all purposes whatever is as follows:

YEAR 1905		Rate	Amt. Levied
State.....	1.81		\$ 4,239 80
County Revenue.....	2.92		6,877 90
Poor.....	.50		1,177 72
Road and Bridge.....	1.00		2,355 44
Bond Interest.....	2.30		5,417 52
State School.....	1.23		2,897 20
Local 1 Mill.....	1.00		2,355 44
Spl school teachers.....	12.40		29,207 56
Spl school bld'g.....	4.16		9,798 66
Spl school sinking.....	.94		2,214 12
City Revenue.....	7.00		16,488 12
City Sinking.....	1.00		2,355 44
City Library.....	.50		1,177 72
Totals.....	36.75		\$ 86,562 68
YEAR 1906		Rate	Amt. Levied
State.....	1.35		\$ 3,558 47
County Revenue.....	1.73		3,972 05
Poor.....	.50		1,147 99
Road and Bridge.....	1.00		2,295 98
Bond Interest.....	1.74		3,965 09
State School.....	1.23		2,824 08
Local 1 Mill.....	1.00		2,295 98
Spl school teachers.....	11.40		26,174 14
Spl school bld'g.....	2.33		5,349 53
Spl school sinking.....	.95		2,181 18
City Revenue.....	6.57		15,084 58
City Sinking.....	1.00		2,295 97
City Library.....	.50		1,147 99
Totals.....	31.50		\$ 72,323 31

There was a falling off in the valuation of the city of Brainerd as between the two years, but it was more than overcome by the increase in the county at large. The taxable valuation of Brainerd for the year 1905 was:

Real estate.....	\$ 1,927 229
Personal.....	428,218
Total.....	\$ 2,355,447

Brainerd, 1906—

Real estate.....	\$ 1,911,679
Personal.....	384,299
Total.....	\$ 2,295,978

For the county and state it was in 1905—

Real estate.....	\$ 4,976,564
Personal.....	644,108
Total.....	\$ 5,620,732

State and county 1906—	
Real estate.....	\$ 5,119,957
Personal.....	689,380
Total.....	\$ 5,809,337

The taxable valuation is the assessed valuation less the exempt valuation. The total assessed valuation of the county is \$6,163,226 of which \$5,131,726 is real estate. Of this \$11,769 is exempt. Of the personal property of \$1,031,499 there is \$342,109, or about one-third exempt.

When assessed the valuation passed the six million dollar mark it increased the salary of the county auditor, under the statutes from \$1,500 to \$2,000 per annum, thus giving Mr. Smart quite a boost. It also increased the salary of the deputy auditor from \$86.96 per month to \$88.18. The law provides also that if the commissioners deem it necessary they can give the treasurer another \$400 a year for clerk hire when the valuation exceeds \$6,000,000.

The loss in valuation in the city is due to the shrinkage in real estate values in the mill district at the removal of the mill and to the removal of the immense stock of lumber heretofore assessed in the yards of the Brainerd Lumber company, together with logs on hand at the mill.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

First Congregational Church Held Annual Meeting, was Held Tuesday Evening.

The First Congregational church of the city of Brainerd held its annual meeting in the church Tuesday evening and elected officers for the ensuing year. The following were the officers elected:

Clerk—Joseph W. Flickwir.
Treasurer—C. Bruhn.
Auditor—Geo. H. Brown.
Supt. Sunday School—Mrs. Irma Hartley.
Music Committee—Mrs. Geo. D. LaBar, Mrs. J. M. Elder, Mrs. A. E. Moberg.
Trustees—A. E. Moberg, W. A. M. Johnston.
Deacon—J. C. Congdon.

All reports read told of a good year's work being done by the church. Rev. E. A. Allin was given a substantial increase in salary, thus showing that he is well liked by his church and congregation and is doing a successful work here.

A Card.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

TO DIVERT THE WATERS

Of Willow River Into Gull Lake and From There Into the Mississippi By Way of Gull and Crow Wing Rivers

A telegram from Washinton says that the river and harbors commission are inclined to take action on a project designed to prevent the flooding of Mississippi banks in the vicinity of Aitkin by constructing a series of dams and ditches with a view to turning the Willow river back into Gull lake from Gull lake into Gull river, then into Crow Wing and thence into the Mississippi. The proposed improvement would be in the interest of navigation and would give federal jurisdiction over it. Representative Bede says the commission will probably take the above action and that the system of ditches will be made the subject of a survey.

Builds up waste tissue, promotes appetite, improves digestion, induces refreshing sleep, gives renewed strength and health. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

FLORIAN SENTI IS EXCUSED

Made Statements Previously as to What he Would Do if On the Jury

SO SAID AFFIDVITS FILED

Two Jurors Secured This Afternoon Leaving Five Secured Up to That Time

JURORS ACCEPTED
T. E. Smith, Brainerd.
J. J. Sterns, Farmer, Merrifield.
James Slaughter, Cook, Brainerd.
Otto Arvidson, Farmer, Pequot.
C. L. Raymond, Mason, Brainerd.

The work of securing the jurors was taken up this morning when court convened and continued all the forenoon. Shortly before noon the attorneys for the state filed affidavits regarding the qualifications of Florian Senti, passed as a juror. These affidavits alleged that while on the regular panel, on Monday last Senti had expressed an opinion regarding the case and also stated what he would do if on jury on the case. The conversation was in the presence of Joe Herbst and W. McCarthy. Mr. Polk for the state asked the privilege of examining the juror again. Attorney Hall objected on the grounds that the state had already accepted the juror. The court overruled the objection and gave the state the privilege of examining the juror farther. Mr. Senti was sworn and practically admitted the facts alleged saying that he did not remember just what had been said, and admitting that he had been drinking at the time. He was challenged by the state and the challenge admitted by the defense. Judge McClenahan then excused the juror not only from the case but from further service this term of court.

The jurors secured during the forenoon were Calvin L. Raymond, a mason living at 111 Ash avenue Northeast and Otto Arvidson a farmer living near Pequot.

At the present rate of progress the jury will not be secured so as to proceed with the trial of the case before Monday.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS

Do Not Endanger Life When a Brainerd Citizen Shows You a Cure.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalid, when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work. If you have any, even one, of the symptoms of kidney diseases, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Read this Brainerd testimony.

Mrs. Peter Hedwell, formerly of 411 Second Ave., N. E., Brainerd, Minn., says: "The use of Doan's Kidney Pills by Mr. Hedwell proved them to be worthy of all confidence. I am not exaggerating in saying that it only required a few doses to remove a persistent pain in the small of the back over the kidneys, from which he had suffered considerably. Doan's Kidney Pills were procured at H. P. Dunn & Co's drug store, on Front Street. Our experience with this remedy proved that anyone suffering from backache or kidney complaint in any of its various forms would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. We endorse them emphatically."

For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

INFORMATION REQUESTED.

House Resolution Would Call on the President to Furnish It.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Representative Robinson of Arkansas has introduced a resolution asking that the president of the United States be requested to inform the house whether he wrote a communication to Thomas C. Drake, superintendent of insurance for the District of Columbia, "condemning as invalid and improper legislation limiting the amount of salaries which life insurance companies may pay their officers; and if he wrote such a letter, that he furnish the house with a copy of the same; also whether he authorized said Drake to send copies of said communication to insurance companies or officers in any state; and if so whether he requested said Drake to send the same conditioned that it be received and held confidentially."

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Crow Wing, }
District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District
Mike Staud, Plaintiff,
Mary E. Staud, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the said Court and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Brainerd in said county and state within thirty days after the service of this subpoena upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail so to do the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief in said complaint prayed.

A. T. LARSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Brainerd, Minn.

Dec. 14, Jan. 17

TABERNACLE PROGRESSING

Work on New House of Worship is Progressing—Meetings Growing in Interest.

Notwithstanding the intense cold of yesterday, preachers and laymen to the number of 35 kept at it all day, the frame of the tabernacle stood before all who passed by as the result of the first day's work. This morning good and early a large number of workers were to be seen boarding and papering and scraping the snow away from the building.

The boss carpenter reports no accidents, no strong language used, no slipping away to see a man by any of the workers; but a steady plodding from early morning until late at night. So much interested have the laity become in the tabernacle that many men who could not be on hand during the day brought saws and hammers last evening to the meeting with the expectation of putting in a couple of hours after last night's meeting.

WOMEN GET INTERESTED IN THE WORK.

Groups of ladies who were anxious to see the building completed before the dawn of the Sabbath visited the busy scene yesterday, but were not privileged to drive any nails, although some shoveled a quantity of snow out of the way just to say that they had had a hand in building the tabernacle. Most of the men were under the impression that when ladies commence to drive nails that it would be a good thing to "skidoo," as there is no telling where the hammer and nails may be driven to.

The only noticeable thing among the preachers last evening as a result of the day's work, was the bronzed faces which indicated that they were losing the pallid pallor of the study and getting in return the red bronze of the open air and bing wind. It was also noticeable that they were not so active in tee audience as on other nights, which was undoubtedly due to tired muscles theretofore unused.

SERVICES LARGELY ATTENDED.

Yesterday saw one of the largest meetings yet held in the series. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning there were nine well attended prayer meetings simultaneously held all over the city, not a meeting but what was fully attended. At 10 o'clock the prayer leaders met with Dr. Riley in conference at Gardner's hall and listened to an inspiring address.

At the afternoon meeting Dr. Riley commenced his series of talks on the book of Jonah which was one of the most enthusiastic afternoon gatherings yet held. Jonah's Call Commission and Judgment, were the leading points in the study which will be continued each afternoon until the book is completed.

A STRIKING SERMON ON "HYPOCRISY"

There must have been close upon a thousand people all told who listened to the sermon of Dr. Riley last night on "Hypocrisy". No sermon that the evangelist has thus far preached has had a more telling effect on his listeners. It was a strong sermon against such folks who use as their plea for not identifying themselves with some church, the fact that there are "Hypocrites in the church, and there are so many difficulties in the Bible." "She church is not the place where perfect people are on exhibition," said Dr. Riley, "but a place rather, where men and women are learning to do better." Continuing he said: "All of the disciples whom Christ selected had some weakness upon them. Yet it is recorded of them 'Having loved them, He loved them until the end.' Christ stood by them until they were strengthened." The speaker then showed how the spirit of hypocrisy is found in every department of activity and life, and counterfeits in the money we use from day to day. Many at the close of the service went and gave Dr. Riley and others their hand signifying their intention of becoming Christians.

Dairy and Food Commission's Report.

The Minnesota Dairy and Food Commission's analysis shows that Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar and Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar contained opiates and croton oil. Opiates are poisons and croton oil is a violent poisonous purgative. Refuse to accept any but Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates or dangerous drugs and it is the best cough and cold cure. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

FIVE CARS COAL

Fisher-Budd Fuel Company Has Received Five Cars and Has Three More

Coming in a Few Days

The trip of A. T. Fisher to Duluth was not without effect on the coal situation here. The Fisher-Budd Fuel Co. has already received five cars of hard and soft coal and have the promise of three more at once, one of which is already loaded. They have not yet received any pea or nut coal, but expect to get in by the first of the week. Mr. Fisher states that the present stock will probably last them about a week.

How to Avoid Pneumonia

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough and expels the cold from the system as it is mildly laxative. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

A. E. Moberg
218 South Seventh Street.

Look and Investigate

The Prices that tell the Story

And in this connection we want to say that if Santa Claus has left you with only an empty pocket book we will come to your rescue and lay away dry goods at the prices advertised until pay day, this giving you the advantage still of this great sale.

Table Linens and Napkins

All at 20 per cent discount.

Bath Robe Blankets and Goods

20 per cent or more discount.

Blankets and Quilts

20 per cent or more discount.

Best Outing Flannels

20 per cent or more discount.

Fancy and Plain Silks

Quality and values up to \$1.25 now 49c.

Wool Dress Goods

Quality and values up to \$1.25 now 50c.

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about having their hair loo nice and we can interest you if you will take a look at our line of ladies' Hair Combs, the latest productions and styles, in all colors, trimmings and shapes. Will be pleased to show them if interested at M. K. Swartz Drug Store.

Milton's Brick Ice Cream on sale at all times in quarts, gallons and more

M. K. SWARTZ

AMUSEMENTS

"Peck's Bad Boy"



It was not only an inspiration of humorous genius which impelled Ex-Governor George W. Peck to write the "Bad Boy" biography, but in that triumph of laughable literature he furnished the richest mine of farce comedy for the playwright to draw from. Twenty years ago a wideawake manager, appreciating this fact, secured from the Governor the exclusive rights to dramatize and produce "Peck's Bad Boy"

which is the creamer, with important additions, to be presented at the opera house on Monday, January 14th.

This is not only a mirthful masterpiece whose success has been at once extraordinary and perennial, but the only genuine one of its kind; its many intimations being comparatively undeserving of consideration. Moreover the human nature with which it so brightly and mirthfully overflows appeals irresistibly to the most emphatic

appreciation and the risibles of people of every condition and age—so much so that the shrill laughter of Young America is mingled with the deep guffaws of Uncle Sam's gray-haired sons

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

Attention Comrades

A regular meeting of Pap Thomas Post No. 30, G. A. R., will be held on Saturday evening, Jan. 12th, at 8 o'clock. A join installation of the post and Sons of Veterans will be held after which coffee, hard tack and beans will be served. Every comrade in Crow Wing county is invited to this bean bake, which will bring back memories of 45 years ago.

J. C. CONGDON, Commander.

Disturbed the Congregation.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

Don't forget that our stock of Electric Lamps and shades are quite Complete.

Imperial Lamps 2, 4, 8, and 16 candle power.....20c
32 candle power.....35c

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

217-219 South 7th Street.

Nursing Mothers and Over-burdened Women

In all stations of life, whose vigor and vitality may have been undermined and broken-down by overwork, exacting social duties, the too frequent bearing of children, or other causes, will find in

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

the most potent, invigorating, restorative, strength-giver ever devised for their special benefit. Nursing mothers will find it especially valuable in sustaining their strength and promoting an abundant nourishment for the child. Expectant mothers too will find it a priceless boon to prepare the system for baby's coming and to render the ordeal comparatively easy and painless.

It can do no harm in any state, or condition of the female system.

Delicate, nervous, weak women, who suffer from frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down distress low down in the abdomen, or from painful or irregular monthly periods, gnawing or distressed sensation in stomach, dizzy or faint spells, see imaginary specks or spots floating before eyes, have disagreeable, pelvic catarrhal drain, ulceration, prolapsus, anteversion, retroversion, or other displacements of womanly organs from weakness of parts, will, whether they experience many or only a few of the above symptoms, find relief and, generally, a permanent cure, by using faithfully and fairly persistently Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

This world-famed specific for woman's weaknesses and peculiar ailments is a pure glyceric extract of the choicest native, medicinal roots without a drop of alcohol in its make-up. All its ingredients are printed in plain English on its bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. Dr. Pierce thus invites the

fullest investigation of his formula knowing that it will be found to contain only the best agents known to the most advanced medical science of all the different schools of practice for the cure of all woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments.

Dr. Pierce's Lotion Tablets and Antiseptic Suppositories may also be used with great advantage conjointly with the use of the "Favorite Prescription" in all cases of ulceration, and in pelvic catarrh. They cost only 25 cents a box each, at drug stores or, sent by mail, post-paid on receipt of price in stamps by Dr. Pierce whose address is given below.

If you want to know more about the composition and professional endorsement of the "Favorite Prescription," send postal card request to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for his free booklet treating of same.

You can't afford to accept as a substitute for this remedy of known composition a secret nostrum of unknown composition. Don't do it.

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EMBARGO IS LIFTED

SEVEN BILLS INTRODUCED IN THE HOUSE, ONE OF WHICH IS PASSED.

THREE MEASURES FIX MAXIMUM PASSENGER FARE AT TWO CENTS A MILE.

St. Paul, Jan. 11.—The embargo on bills which has existed in the house since the opening session, has been lifted and seven were dropped into the hopper. One, a senate bill, providing for the usual legislative expenses, was passed under suspension of the rules.

Three measures fixing 2 cents per mile as the maximum passenger fare to be charged by railroads operating in the state was introduced, but John Zelch of Cottage Grove had the honor of being first on the list. His bill was house file No. 1.

In order followed Burdette Thayer of Spring Valley and A. G. Johnson of St. Paul. The only differences were in the penalties provided and the enforcement of the new rate by the railway and warehouse commission. The Zelch bill was the briefest.

An income tax on all personal and corporate earnings over \$5,000 a year is provided for in a bill introduced by W. C. Bicknell of Morris. All individuals, companies and corporations living and operating in the state are included.

On incomes over \$5,000 and under \$10,000 a tax of 1 per cent is extracted; over \$10,000 and under \$15,000, 2 per cent, and over \$15,000 3 per cent. Salaries of officials are included. In computing what is a person's or corporation's income, living and the regular business expenses are deducted; also loss by fire and other causes when the same are not covered by insurance. Improvements to property are not to be deducted.

W. A. Nolan again comes to the front this year with his reciprocal demurrage bill of two years ago. It failed to pass the senate then, but it has since been greatly strengthened and he confidently expects it will pass. The bill was introduced by Mr. Nolan in the house and provides for an equalizing of car service charges and penalties. Freight must be moved at least seventy-five miles each day. Car shortages are also provided against.

Provides for Greater Publicity.
Another bill offered by W. A. Nolan was one providing for greater publicity in the advertising of the constitutional amendments and explanations by the attorney general covering the same. They must be advertised in at least three papers in each county as against one, which is now the law.

The winding out of the coal trust and the investigation of the reported farm machinery trust are two things that the house proposes to give its attention to this session. Both are to be taken up at once.

The session of the house had hardly started when resolutions covering both these monopolies were introduced, that inquiring into the farm machinery combine by L. C. Spooner of Morris and the one relating to the coal combine, by Elias Rackle of Madison.

Each resolution specified the presence of the two combines in the state, and provided for a joint committee of two senators and three representatives to investigate the same and report back bills providing for their control and restriction.

The two committees under the resolutions were empowered to administer oaths, incur all necessary expenses and report all findings to both bodies without delay.

J. A. Gates of Kenyon offered a resolution calling upon the governor to convey to the legislature his views covering the liquor question in the state.

Notice of debate was given and the resolution went over.

TRUSTS IN MINNESOTA.
Resolutions for Investigation of Two Introduced in Senate.

The alleged existence of coal and binding twine trusts in Minnesota was considered in the senate.

A resolution was offered by Senator Hanson that a committee of three senators and four members of the house be appointed to investigate into the question. This was laid over.

Senator Peterson offered a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of two senators and three members of the house to investigate whether a twine monopoly exists in Minnesota. This was also laid over until Monday.

Senator Wilson introduced a resolution, which was passed, that a committee of three senators and two house members be appointed on printing.

A communication from Commissioner C. C. Andrews, relating to state forestry, was read and referred to the commission on forestry.

Senator Laybourn nominated Senator E. E. Smith of Minneapolis president pro tem of the senate. Senator Smith was elected unanimously.

Chief Clerk Johnson of the house announced that S. F. No. 1, relating to legislative expenses, had been passed. This appropriates \$250,000 for legislative expenses.

Lobby bills were popular with the senate, two being introduced, one by Senator Wright and the other by Senator McGowan.

Both house adjourned until Monday.

FEARED SHE HAS BEEN LOST.

Hope for Safety of Steamer Ponce Almost Abandoned.

New York, Jan. 11.—The steamship Ponce of the New York and Porto Rico Steamship line, which sailed from Ponce, P. R., Dec. 26, and was due at this port on Jan. 1, is still missing and the belief that the vessel's delay was due to some mechanical accident is giving away to the fear that she is lost. She was last spoken on Dec. 28 by the ship Shenandoah.

The most disquieting report that has reached here was a message from Governor Winthrop of Porto Rico, who says the steamer Caracas reported sighting a derelict 150 feet long near the location the Ponce was sighted by the Shenandoah Dec. 28. The dimensions of the reported derelict, however, do not agree with the description of the Ponce, which is 317 feet long.

GOVERNOR DAVIDSON'S MESSAGE.

Presented to Both Houses of the Wisconsin Legislature.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 11.—The message of Governor James O. Davidson to the Wisconsin legislature was presented to both houses upon their convening in the afternoon. The document was read by the chief clerk of each body.

Among other things the governor recommends insurance legislation that will protect the policyholders; a constitutional amendment providing for an income tax; amendment of the law giving the state railroad commission jurisdiction over all transportation companies of the state; and for state control of local public service corporations. At the conclusion of the reading of the message both houses adjourned until Tuesday.

DOZEN PUPILS INJURED.

School Children of Chicago in a Race Riot.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Race feeling, which has stirred the pupils of the Copernicus school, Sixteenth and Throop streets, for more than a week, culminated in a riot between the negro and white children and at least a dozen of the pupils were injured. Between 200 and 300 children took part in the fight that waged about the doors of the school, stones and clubs, as well as hat pins being used before the police arrived and dispersed the delinquents.

Ballplayer a Suicide.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 11.—Sitting before a mirror and gazing on the photograph of a young actress, Miss Elsie Crescy, that he had so arranged that he might behold it with his dying glance, Bob Lankswert, one of the best known ballplayers Louisville ever produced, drank an ounce of carbolic acid and died just as he was being taken into the city hospital.

Dies Trying to Save His Money.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 11.—In an effort to save \$1,400, the savings of a lifetime, Andrew Peterson, a farmer eighty-two years old, living near Caldonia, Minn., lost his life in a fire which destroyed his home.

Will Not Visit Pacific Coast.

Tokio, Jan. 11.—The Japanese government has decided that on account of anti-Japanese agitation on the Pacific coast that the training squadron will not visit the Pacific coast, but will go as far as Honolulu only.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

United States Senator T. C. Platt, who has been suffering from a slight attack of grip, is much better.

Mike Englund, living at Edina Mills, Minn., was instantly killed by a St. Louis passenger train at Hopkins, Minn., while he was on his way home.

The second state dinner of the season was given at the White House by President and Mrs. Roosevelt Thursday night in honor of the diplomatic corps. About eighty covers were laid.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, Jan. 10.—Wheat—May, 78 1/4c; July, 78 1/4c @ 78 3/4c. On track—No. 1 hard, 79 1/2c @ 80c; No. 1 Northern, 78 1/2c @ 79c; No. 2 Northern, 76 1/4c @ 76 3/4c; No. 3 Northern, 73c.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 10.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 78 1/4c; No. 1 Northern, 78c; No. 2 Northern, 76c; May, 78 1/4c; July, 79 1/4c. Flax—To arrive, on track, in store and Jan., \$1.20; May, \$1.23 1/2; July, \$1.24 1/2.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50 @ 6.25; common to good, \$4.00 @ 5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.50 @ 4.75; veals, \$4.50 @ 5.50. Hogs—\$6.15 @ 6.25. Sheep—Wethers, \$4.75 @ 5.25; good to prime spring lambs, \$6.50 @ 7.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Wheat—May, 76 1/4c @ 76 3/4c; July, 76 1/4c. Corn—May, 43 1/2c @ 43 3/4c; July, 43 1/2c @ 44c. Oats—May, 36 1/2c; July, 33 1/2c. Pork—May, \$16.62 1/2; July, \$16.77 1/2. Butter—Creameries, 22 @ 31c; dairies, 20 @ 27c. Eggs—21 @ 23c. Poultry—Turkeys, 11c; chickens, 11c; springs, 10 @ 10 1/2c.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Beefves, \$4.15 @ 7.15; cows and heifers, \$1.65 @ 5.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.60 @ 4.75; Texans, \$3.75 @ 4.50; calves, \$6.50 @ 8.75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$6.25 @ 6.52 1/2; good heavy, \$6.40 @ 6.55; rough heavy, \$6.20 @ 6.30; light, \$6.20 @ 6.47 1/2; pigs, \$5.55 @ 6.25. Sheep, \$3.50 @ 5.75; lambs, \$4.75 @ 7.75.

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